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PERISH IN TYPHOON

Thousands Reported to Have Lost Their Lives.

Chinese Vessels Disabled and Hundreds Who Escaped Drowning Starve to Death.

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 30—Advices are received from South China by the Athenian of the loss of thousands of lives as a result of the destruction of several hundred fishing junks in a typhoon of Swatow.

The havoc was awful when the gale swept down on the Chinese vessels. For days disabled junks drifted helplessly about, their occupants suffering from thirst and hunger.

The Hong Kong government tender Stanley rescued a number, picking up eight junks and taking 123 men off vessels that were abandoned. The Stanley then returned to the rescue for the rescued fishermen. It is reported that there were 400 junks fishing off Swatow when the typhoon came on November 4. From the Stanley 57 disabled junks were seen flying distress signals. Several junks were towed to Hong Kong and then a relief cruise was made.

Meanwhile three torpedo boat destroyers, the naval water boat Chernh and a Chinese cruiser were sent out and rescued many. Several hundred men were taken from wrecked craft suffering greatly, some being without food or water from two to five days. Of the four hundred fishing junks at least three hundred are reported disabled or sunk and thousands of lives were lost.

CHILD'S HORRIBLE FATE.

Jasper, Ind., Nov. 30—The four year old son of Louis Mehringer, this city, fell backward into a kettle of boiling sausage meat and was boiled to death.

PASSENGER MAN DEAD.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 30—Henry R. Dering, 50, a general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburgh, died at his home here today.

BIG FIRE IN BROOKLYN.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 30—The Histrinia Academy was destroyed early this morning with no fatalities. The loss will be \$300,000 with no insurance.

BIG CUT IN WAGES.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 30—A 10 per cent cut in the wages of 30,000 cotton employees became effective through New England today.

STRIKE SETTLED.

COOPERAGE COMPANY EMPLOYEES RETURNED TO WORK TODAY.

The strike at the Paducah Cooperage company has been settled, the men returning to work this morning. There were sixty out and the company has been running short of men since they walked out last week. The men quit on account of a misunderstanding about a certain class of cooperage they had to work on. No agreement was made by the strikers and company, the men simply returning to work as they left.

Miss Annie Galliger, of Cairo, is visiting Miss Flora Pettit at her home on South Sixth street.

THE MARKETS.

	WHEAT	MAIZE	LOW	CLOSING
Dec.	\$1.42	\$1.45	\$1.42	\$1.42
May	\$1.01	\$0.91	\$0.91	\$0.91
CORN				
Dec.	\$1.12	\$1.12	\$1.12	\$1.12
May	\$1.01	\$1.01	\$1.01	\$1.01
OATS				
Dec.	\$1.41	\$1.41	\$1.41	\$1.41
May	\$1.30	\$1.32	\$1.32	\$1.32
COTTON				
Dec.	\$1.42	\$1.45	\$1.42	\$1.42
Jan.	\$1.50	\$1.52	\$1.49	\$1.49
Mar.	\$1.63	\$1.65	\$1.52	\$1.52
May	\$1.69	\$1.71	\$1.59	\$1.59
July	\$1.59	\$1.55	\$1.55	\$1.55
STOCKS				
I. C. S.	\$1.22	\$1.22	\$1.22	\$1.22
L. & N.	\$1.01	\$1.01	\$1.01	\$1.01
N. P.	\$1.01	\$1.01	\$1.01	\$1.01
S. S. W.	\$1.01	\$1.01	\$1.01	\$1.01
E. S. P.	\$1.15	\$1.14	\$1.14	\$1.14

BARDWELL HOLD-UP

One of the Chicago Desperadoes Confesses to it.

The Police Amazed at the Startling Story of the Young Bandit.

SAYS HE WILL TELL ALL

The mystery of who held up the Illinois Central train near Bardwell, Ky., 35 miles below Paducah seems now to have been solved. Peter Neidermeier, one of the desperate murderers and bandits arrested at Chicago, confessed to being one of the men in the memorable holdup, which was conducted in traditional western style, and created great excitement throughout the country.

Yesterday's Chicago dispatches state that the young desperado wants to tell all he knows on condition that his mother be well cared for after he is hanged. The Bardwell robbery is reported as the "robbery of the Illinois Central limited express at Paducah, Ky., etc., but this mistake probably resulted from the confusion caused by the fact that most of the dispatches about the holdup were sent out from Paducah, or it may be the prisoner is lying, and thinks the robbery is his, he says he took part in took place near Paducah.

The prisoner claims he is author of many crimes of which the police know nothing, and for others for which innocent men are now suffering, and promises to tell all if the rewards are paid to his mother. The police do not entirely believe him, although Chief of Police O'Neill, of Chicago, says he relates the details of the crime only as one who was guilty could do.

A Chicago dispatch says further:

Neidermeier refused, however, to divulge the names of his partners in the crimes referred to, pending proof that his mother would get the rewards.

A few of the additional crimes he claims to have participated in are as follows:

Robbery of the Illinois Central limited express at Paducah, Ky., in which Barnes, one of the robbers, cut his throat while surrounded in a swamp.

Holding of a stage coach a mile from Butler, Nev., two years ago and robbing the mails. No one was shot and robbers escaped without recognition.

Holding and robbery of Chicago and Northwestern passenger train near Boone, Ia., six months ago.

Holding and attempted robbery of Baltimore and Ohio train at Edgemont, Ind., four years ago.

Minor holdups and robberies in and out of Chicago were mentioned by Neidermeier.

Special Agent W. Riley of the Chicago and Northwestern railroad promised him that Mrs. Neidermeier should be given the reward of \$500 for the arrest and conviction of the Clayborne Station robbers after Neidermeier detailed the robbery to them and exonerated a man named Dolle of St. Louis, who is now under indictment.

Operator Dougherty and Ticket Agent Lathrop, the victims of the robbers in the Clayborne Station holdup, were present during Neidermeier's confession, going over with him in detail the robbery and the shooting of Lathrop.

Neidermeier detailed the Paducah, Ky., holdup perfectly, refusing to tell names for the reason that none of the Illinois Central detectives were present. He offered to tell Special Agent O'Keefe the entire story of the daring robbery and even show him the house in Kentucky where he hid after the robbery.

"I stalled the train alone," said Neidermeier. "Then I entered the baggage car and threw out three sacks. Barnes grabbed one of them. I did not get any and I was lucky in getting away with my life."

The police have been so appalled by Neidermeier's confessions that they hardly give credence to all his assertions. It is thought that his anxiety over his mother's welfare has prompted him to make himself the author of crimes he did not commit.

FOUR WERE SHOT

Two Killed Instantly and Others Will Die.

A Bloody Feud Breaks Out and Custer Gardner Is Arrested as the Assassin.

GREAT EXCITEMENT PREVAILS

OTHER DRAHTS AND FUNERALS

John W. Kelton farman of the N. C. and St. L. road died this morning at 10 o'clock at his home on South Eleventh street of pneumonia, after a several weeks illness.

Mr. Kelton was 50 years of age and formerly lived in Reevesville, Ill. He had lived in Paducah a number of years and was very popular with his fellow employees and others, and his death will be much regretted.

He left a wife, three daughters and one son: Mrs. Lida Matthews, Mrs. Pearl Darnell, Mrs. Bertha Kettler and William Kelton, all of this city.

He won't talk.

There has been a feud between the factions headed by Squires Osborne and Custer Gardner, and many threats of extermination have been made.

The whole country is aroused and there may be a lynching tonight.

All concerned are related and all are prominent.

The alleged assassin is a wealthy young farmer.

From the assertions made by Neidermeier and Van Dine today, it is said by the police that more arrests will be made.

COLD BATH

BOY FALLS OFF THE DOCKS INTO THE RIVER.

Charles Burns, a small white boy about 12 years of age, had an ice bath yesterday morning in the Ohio river which he will remember for some time

The boy was playing about the dry docks about 8 o'clock yesterday morning and in walking from one barge to the other was overbalanced by a loose plank and thrown into the river in about 12 feet of water. The boy is a good swimmer and managed to swim out. He repaired to a nearby stove and dried his clothes and was apparently none the worse from the experience when seen selling papers on Broadway shortly after. He resides at Ninth and Burnet streets.

SOLD BY SHERIFF.

The Alco McCarty grocery stock was this morning sold at public auction by Deputy Sheriff Lyon to Mr. William Robinson for \$195. Mr. Robinson will turn the grocery over to experienced grocery men and it will be ready for business immediately. The stock was sold on debt, the sum having been filed in circuit court more than two weeks ago.

Attorney Pete Seay, of Mayfield, is in the city.

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JOHN W. KELTON DEAD

Prominent Citizen Succumbs to Attack of Pneumonia.

Death at Vicksburg, Miss., of a Former Paducah Boy Saturday—Funeral Here.

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FINED FOR CARRYING GUN

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The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at the family residence. The service will be conducted by Rev. G. W. Perryman, of the First Baptist church. The remains will be taken to Reevesville, Ill., for burial.

The men got a little insolent towards the officers, and they telephoned to Marshal McNutt, of Mayfield, but he knew nothing of the object of the men having the girl. The girl told the officers her name was Rose Martin and Marshal McNutt said he knew the girl's people, and that they were well to do residents of Graves county, living four miles from Mayfield between Mayfield and Perrysonburg.

The officers then took the girl aside and questioned her, and she admitted that she ran away from home with R. M. Futral, the older man, and came direct to Mayfield and then to Paducah. They were going to Brookport, Ill., she said to be married. She said she was fifteen years old.

The officers then took R. M. Futral into custody. As they did so he threw a coat to the other man, and the officers took possession of it and found a large pistol in the pocket. They then arrested both men for carrying concealed weapons.

It is understood that R. M. Futral, who intended to get married, is a widower with two children, and he probably would have been unable to marry the girl had he succeeded in reaching Illinois, as she did not appear to be over thirteen years old and wore short dresses.

Dr. Rizzell, of Mayfield, happened to be in the city and took the girl back home at 4 o'clock this morning. The two Futrals were arraigned in the police court this morning on a charge of carrying concealed deadly weapons and R. M. Futral was fined \$25 and given ten days in jail, and the other man was acquitted, there being no evidence to show that he knew a pistol was in the pocket of the coat when he took possession of it.

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The funeral of the late Mrs. M. E. Jones took place yesterday afternoon from the first Presbyterian church at 2:30 o'clock, burial at Oak Grove.

Subcribe for The Sun.

ELOPED WITH A GIRL

Graves County Man Caught at the Depot Here Last Night.

Had Rosa Martin, a Fifteen Year Old Girl, On His Way to Brookport.

MR. CAMPBELL HAS MAJORITY

Other Candidates do Not Concede Mr. Campbell's Victory

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DECEMBER WEATHER

Major Hersey Tells Us What to Expect.

Does Not Use the Planets—the Benefit of 32 Years Experience.

The monthly bulletin issued by Major H. B. Hersey, observer in charge of the Louisville Weather Bureau, shows what may be expected in the way of weather during the month of December. The data collected extends over a period of thirty-two years. The normal temperature for the month is 38 degrees, the warmest month having been in 1889, when the mean temperature was 52 degrees. The coldest December was in 1876, when the mean temperature was 26 degrees. The highest temperature was on December 31, 1875, when 74 degrees was registered. The coldest day was December 29, 1880, when the temperature registered was 7 degrees below zero.

The average precipitation for the month is 3.77 inches, the heaviest precipitation during any one month was in 1879, when 7.98 inches of rain and melted snow were shown by instruments. The greatest amount of snow fall was on December 26, 1894, when 10.4 inches fell in twenty-four hours. The average number of clear days in December is four, the average number of partly cloudy five and the average number of cloudy days twenty-two. The prevailing winds are from the southwest. The highest velocity ever attained was forty-four miles on December 12, 1899.

BEST LINIMENT ON EARTH.

L. M. McNally, Greenville, Tex., writes, Nov. 2, 1900: "I had rheumatism last winter was down in bed six weeks; tried everything, but got no relief, till a friend gave me a part of a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. I used it, and got two more bottles. It cured me and I haven't felt any rheumatism since. I can recommend Snow Liniment to be the best liniment on earth for rheumatism." For rheumatic, sciatic or neuralgic pains, rub in Ballard's Snow Liniment, you will not suffer long, but will be gratified with a speedy and effective cure. \$5c, \$10 and \$1 at DuBois, Kolb & Co.

SUC DE MARIA

IT IS SAID TO PREVAIL AMONG WOMEN OF NEW YORK.

New York, Nov. 30—For reasons vague and mysterious, a remarkable number of women in and near New York have sought of late to take their lives and the newspapers are filled with the suicide or attempted suicide of women in all walks of life.

Apparently a wave of self-destruction has swept over the city, and women have been particularly susceptible to its blight. By acid, knife and pistol, they have tried to end supposedly unhappy existences, and several have succeeded.

An epidemic of suicide appears to have spread among young girls in Brooklyn.

Women of the slave were not exempt. A former member of the "Chillicothe Hoosymoor" company lies on a cot in Bellevue hospital with three self-inflicted knife wounds.

The grim spectre of strange death has taken away a former beauty of the Teaderlin, that old-time mixture of gaiety and tragedy of life.

A DANGEROUS MONTH.

This is the month of colds, colds and acute catarrh. Do you catch cold easily? Find yourself home, with a tickling in your throat and an annoying cough at night? Then, you should always have handy a bottle of Ballard's Horse-hound Syrup. J. A. Anderson, 35 West Fifth street, Salt Lake City, writes: "We use Ballard's Horse-hound Syrup for coughs and colds. It gives immediate relief. We know it's the best remedy for these troubles. I write this to induce other people to try this pleasant and efficient remedy." \$5c, \$10 and \$1 at DuBois, Kolb & Co.

KILLED BY HIS OWN TRAP.

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. 30.—William Kennedy was accidentally shot and killed by a shotgun trap which he had set for chicken thieves. He forgot about the trap and when he went to the henhouse he received the full charge of shot.

WORM DESTROYER.

White's Oream Vermifuge, not only kills worms, but removes the mucous and spine, in which they hold their nestings and quickly, a healthy condition of the body, where worms cannot exist. \$5c at DuBois, Kolb & Co.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Negative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. G. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

THE KAISER IS WORSE

Grave Fears Expressed Regarding His Condition.

He Is Reported to Have Now Quite Lost His Voice From Disease.

HE IS STILL CHEERFUL

Berlin, Nov. 30—Notwithstanding the official believe that the kaiser is recovering his strength, and despite the fact that he has been allowed to take exercise in the open air, his condition is critical. The emperor's throat troubles are not over. Indeed, the serious time is yet to come. It is said that a fresh formation has begun to manifest itself, and that the trouble is extending from its original seat in the larynx.

The medical faculty naturally declines to discuss the case publicly, and while it is pointed out that Dr. Otto Schmidt, who recently operated upon the kaiser's larynx, has returned to Frankfort, additional confirmation of the worst fears is found in the calling of a fourth surgeon in the kaiser's case.

INJURY IS PERMANENT.

New York, Nov. 30—A Berlin cable to the World says the vocal chords of the kaiser are permanently injured. The correspondent says: "Lord Lansdale, who spent six hours with him today, talking over certain difficulties arising in connection with the trans-oceanic yacht race, says the emperor was very cheerful, but unable to speak except in a low whisper. In other words, his voice is gone, and the most noted German voice specialist had been called in to treat him."

"It is pointed out that such a result does not follow the removal of an ordinary polypoid growth, and it is thought that the emperor put off the operation too long, owing to his official engagements.

"Other growths have begun to manifest themselves, it is also reported, though this is denied semi-officially. The emperor's system has been seriously taxed by anxiety and suffering. He is described as looking exceedingly ill.

"The physicians attribute his loss of voice to his insisting on going out four days after the operation."

BEAUTIFUL CLEAR SKIES.

Herrine exerts a direct influence on the bowels, liver and kidneys, purifying and strengthening these organs and maintaining them in a normal condition of health; thus removing a common cause of yellow, watery, greasy skin, and more or less of pimples, blisters and blackheads. \$5c at DuBois, Kolb & Co.

BURNED TO A CRISP

Mrs. P. W. Warren and a servant met horrible fate.

A horrible fate overtook Mrs. W. P. Warren and a domestic in her home, Miss Maud Morris, at Central City Saturday. Miss Morris attempted to start a fire in the grate and stuck a piece of paper down the lamp chimney. The lamp overturned and broke, and the young lady was covered with burning oil.

Mrs. Warren attempted to save her when her own clothing caught fire and they both ran frantically into the open air and were fatally burned. Mrs. Warren died at 12:20 and Miss Morris at 12:30. A six-year-old boy saved his seven weeks old sister by wrapping a shawl around her and bringing her to a place of safety.

Mrs. Warren was a second cousin of Mr. Enoch Lynn, of the city, and formerly resided at Brookport, Ill. Her remains arrived here Saturday night, accompanied by Mr. Warren, Rev. Hutchison and Mr. S. P. Ponrod, of Central City and were taken to the residence of Mr. L. B. Lamb, 1125 Tennessee street and taken to Brookport yesterday for burial. Mr. Warren is a baker.

The remains of Miss Morris were buried yesterday at Central City.

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BACK TO KENTUCKY

Luke Ray Will Probably be Ordered Here for Trial.

Indicted for Passing Raised Bills in Paducah—Also Wanted for Murder.

NOW IN JAIL AT MEMPHIS

Luke Ray, one of the negroes arrested in Memphis for wholesale "raising" bills, and who is one of those who flooded Paducah with bills raised from \$1's to \$5's and \$2's to \$10's, will probably be brought to Kentucky for trial on a charge of murdering a special officer near Cave City some time ago, and for counterfeiting.

District Attorney Randolph, at Memphis, has received from the authorities of the United States court, Louisville, a warrant for the extradition of Ray, which was drawn on the strength of an indictment that had been returned by the federal grand jury in session at that place. The indictment returned at Louisville was for counterfeiting, and it charged Ray with having in the Western district of Kentucky altered and passed certain securities of the United States which were of a counterfeit nature. It is supposed these were the raised bills passed in Paducah, an indictment having been returned at the recent session of federal court here.

On the strength of this warrant Ray was given a hearing the United States commissioner at Memphis and the bail fixed at \$5,000, which the prisoner was unable to raise.

An application was then made by the district attorney to Judge Hammond for an order of authority to have Ray removed to the Western district of Kentucky. The negro was brought into the United States courtroom before Judge Hammond in order that a hearing of the application might be made. When he was brought into the courtroom the hounds with which he had been brought from the jail were still upon his wrists, and a rather novel incident happened in the court as a result of this.

As soon as Judge Hammond saw the shackles upon the hand of the prisoner he ordered the marshal to remove them, stating that it was contrary to the dignity of the court to bring a prisoner in such a condition into court. No criticism was passed upon the marshal by Judge Hammond, who simply stated that it was contrary to the rights of a prisoner to bring him into court in manacles, unless he were violent and obstreperous and could not be handled by any other means. Judge Hammond granted a continuance of the case until today.

It is more than likely that the application for removal of the negro will be granted when the matter is given a hearing. There is very little evidence against Ray in Memphis to sustain an indictment for counterfeiting, while the Kentucky federal authorities have already secured numerous indictments against the negro.

In Kentucky the negro is also wanted by the state courts on a charge of murder. During the time he was being chased by the secret service department of Louisville it was learned that he had escaped from that place and was journeying out of the city on a box car. This information was telegraphed ahead, and a constable at one of the small stations attempted to make the arrest of the negro. Ray in company with Tally were placed under arrest when the train reached this station, but while they were being brought to jail the constable was shot down by Ray, and both negroes managed to make their escape.

It is that the removal of the negro is asked by the Louisville federal court in order that he might be turned over to the state authorities and made to stand at home by proper attention to food digestion, and a regular use of German Syrup. Free expectation in the morning is made certain by German Syrup, so is a good night's rest and the absence of that weakening cough and debilitating night sweat. Restless nights and the exhaustion due to coughing, the greatest danger and dread of the consumptive, can be prevented or stopped by taking German Syrup liberally and regularly. Should you be able to go to a warmer climate you will find that of the thousands of consumptives there, the few who are benefitted and regain strength are those who use German Syrup. Trial bottle, 25c; regular size, 75c. For sale by DuBois, Kolb & Co.

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THE SOLICITOR'S HOME

Is Almost Totally Destroyed by Fire This Morning.

Attorney Worton Thought the Blaze Was Subdued When the Flames Burst Forth Again.

LOSS IS ABOUT \$1500

The residence of City Solicitor J. M. Worton, at 217 North Eighth street, partially burned this morning between 2 and 4 o'clock with a loss of about \$1,500, covered by insurance.

The fire was a very peculiar one as it was at first thought to have been extinguished entirely with little damage, but after the firemen left the roof burst into flames and the house was nearly burned up before the firemen got back.

Last night Mr. Worton and family retired rather late on account of smelling smoke. They suspected the house was afire but could find no evidence anywhere. About 2 o'clock Mr. Worton was awakened and going down stairs found the pantry and kitchen ablaze. He was for a short time cut off from his family upstairs, the flames spreading to the hallway. He telephoned the fire department but before the family could get down stairs and out of the house, the flames had crept to the staircase and cut them off. The firemen hoisted ladders to the upstairs and Mrs. Worton and her two children Master Wheeler and little Miss Rate Worton, were forced to descend to the ground by this means.

The firemen did quick work and soon had the flames under control and extinguished as they thought. Mrs. Worton and children went across the street to Dr. S. B. Pulliam's residence and spent the night there. Mr. Worton started to remain at home but about 4 o'clock came over to Dr. Pulliam's stating that he had failed to spend the night there. As they glanced across the street to his house the roof suddenly became alive with flames and the firemen were again called. The house was badly damaged however, and will practically have to be built over again.

Mr. Worton stated that he could not imagine how the fire originated unless some rats had gotten into the walls with matches and started the conflagration. The fire evidently was in the walls and was not extinguished when the firemen left and slowly crept up to the roof where the flames got under holdway by the draft.

POSTOFFICE THIEVES

YOUTHS CAUGHT AT NORTONVILLE HAVE KEYS.

James Fulkerston and Robert Nemman, who are now in the Madisonville jail, charged with breaking into the store of R. H. Farmer & Co., at Nortonville, last Sunday night, will very likely have to answer to the charge of breaking into the postoffice at Weldon, Ky., on the night of November 19th. Among the lot of burglar's tools found near the place where the men were arrested was a post-office key. Postmaster Virgil Bacon, of Madisonville, reported the key and its number to the postal authorities and key was found to be the one missing from the postoffice at Weldon that was carried away the night of the robbery there. Inspector Sassing who was in Paducah Saturday, has been in Madisonville working on the case and a strong chain of evidence is tightening around the men.

OLIMATIO CURES.

The influence of climatic conditions in the cure of consumption is very much overdrawn. The poor patient, and the sick patient, too can do much better at home by proper attention to food digestion, and a regular use of German Syrup. Free expectation in the morning is made certain by German Syrup, so is a good night's rest and the absence of that weakening cough and debilitating night sweat. Restless nights and the exhaustion due to coughing, the greatest danger and dread of the consumptive, can be prevented or stopped by taking German Syrup liberally and regularly.

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WINTER IS COMING

BRINGING CATARRH

Every Catarrh sufferer dreads the coming of winter, for with the first breath of the "ice-king" this miserable disease is fanned into life and all the disgusting symptoms return. The nostrils are stopped up and the throat can be kept clear of mucus secretions only by continual hawking and spitting. Catarrh is a nuisance and source of annoyance, not only to the one who has it, but everybody else. The thick, yellow discharge from the head produces a feeling of personal defilement, and the odor of the breath is almost intolerable.

COULD NOT HEAR THE TICK OF A CLOCK.

Watson, Pa., July 13, 1903.

Dear Sirs:

I have used S. S. S. for Catarrh of the inner ear, and have found it an excellent remedy for such a disease. I had been troubled with this disease for a year, and tried many things in an effort to get relief, but nothing did me any permanent good until I began S. S. S. I had a doctor from New York, and my health was never better. I have not had a cold since. I could not hear the tick of a clock. I was in bed shape when I began your medicine. S. S. S. has done away with the discharge and my hearing has been wonderfully improved. I have never been so well in my life. I feel able to recommend S. S. S. to any one who has Catarrh.

W. F. KRUECKMIRE.

NO SIGN OF CATARRH IN THREE YEARS.

Krebs, Ind. Ter., Aug. 1, 1903.

About thirteen years ago I used your remedy for Catarrh and I was troubled with it for about nine years, but since taking S. S. S. have never been troubled with it. I feel able to recommend S. S. S. as a cure for Catarrh.

T. MILLER.

About thirteen years ago I used your remedy for Catarrh and I was troubled with it for about nine years, but since taking S. S. S. have never been troubled with it. I feel able to recommend S. S. S. As long as the blood is poisoned with Catarrhal matter the discharge of mucus and other disgusting symptoms will continue. S. S. S. goes to the fountain source of the trouble and purifies and enriches the blood, and so invigorates and tones up the system that catching cold and contracting Catarrh is not so likely to occur. Keep the blood in order and winter's coming brings none of the discomforts of Catarrh.

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THE FOX AND THE GOAT.



Mind Owner of the Well.

A Fox and a Goat once journeyed together. The Goat was a simple creature, seldom seeing beyond his own nose; while the Fox, like most of his kind, was a master of knavery. They were led by things to descend a deep well; and, when they had both drunk freely, the Fox said: "Now, Master Goat, what shall we do? Drinking is all very well, but it won't get us out from here. You had better rear up against the wall; then by the aid of your horns, I can get out; and, once out, of course, I can help you." "By my beard," said the Goat, "that's a good plan. I should never have thought of that. How I wish I had your brains, to be sure!" The Fox, having got out in this way described, began to rail at his companion. "Make the most of your patience, old fellow," said he, "for you'll need it all. If you had half as much brains as beard, you would have never gone down there. I am sorry that I can't stay longer with you, but I have some business that must be seen to. So good-by."

MORAL.—We ought to consider who advises us before we follow the advice.

SOME NEWLY DISCOVERED SAYINGS OF CHRIST

London, Nov. 30.—Many hitherto unknown sayings of Jesus Christ have been discovered in Egypt by archaeologists, which have been buried since the second century, one hundred miles south of Cairo.

Bernard P. Greenfell who has been engaged in Egyptian excavations since 1894, at the general meeting of the Egypt exploration fund here yesterday, gave the following details:

Accompanied by Dr. Hunt, Dr. Greenfell found a rich trove of documents from one mound consisted of a collection of sayings of Jesus. They are all introduced with the words "Jesus Said," and for the most part are new. The ends of the lines, unfortunately, are often obliterated. Apparently all the sayings were addressed to St. Thomas. One of the most remarkable is:

"Let not him that seeketh cease from his search until he find; and when he finds he shall wonder; wondering, he shall reach the kingdom; that is the kingdom of heaven, and when he reaches the kingdom, he shall have rest."

Dr. Greenfell remarked that enormous interest would be aroused by the discoveries on account of the variations they disclosed from accepted texts.

One variant of the mystical saying recorded in St. Luke, "The Kingdom of God is within you," was of great value, as the saying in the papyrus appeared in quite different surroundings from those attributed to it by the evangelist and extended far into another region.

According to Dr. Greenfell these

sayings formed the new gospel which is traditionally associated with St. Thomas.

An interesting variation of the gospel, according to St. Luke, eleventh chapter and fifty-second verse, "Woe unto you, lawyers. For ye have taken away the key of knowledge; ye entered not in yourselves, and them that were entering in ye hindered," reads in the papyrus:

"Ye have hidden the key of knowledge, ye entered not yourselves and to them that were entering in ye did not open."

Another fragment contained a discourse of Christ, closely related to passages of the sermon on the Mount, and a conversation between Christ and his disciples, in which Christ answers a question as to when his kingdom will be realized, saying:

"When we return to the state of innocence which existed before the fall."

A valuable find was made in papyri, written in Latin, giving the text of the epistles to the Hebrews, and an epitome of Livy's six lost books. This, with other papyri, covering the period 150-157 B. C., threw much new and valuable information on the history of the world and marked the recovery of hitherto lost classical literature of Egypt.

A quaint instance of the business methods in vogue in 157 A. D. is shown in the discovery of an amusing contract whereby a slave boy was to be taught shorthand for 120 drachmae. The payment was arranged on a thoroughly business-like basis 40 drachmae down, 40 on satisfactory evidence of progress and 40 on the attainment of proficiency.

POPE COMMENDS PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

Paris, Nov. 30.—Dr. Des Honte, the historian, is back from Rome, where he had an extended interview with Pope Pius, whom he found to be a "healthy, amiable and wise man of liberal tendencies." Dr. Des Honte dictated to your correspondent the report of a speech in which the pope characterized the condition of the church in France nowadays.

"It has come to pass," said Pope Pius, "that French Catholics envy their English brethren the religious liberty they enjoy. Still more they envy their German friends, who, under a Protestant sovereign, have made a proud position for themselves."

"France has adopted an attitude toward the church that I can not help characterize as murderous—murderous towards the eternal God, if such an expression were permissible."

"The government seems to strike at

the people, but in fact it crucifies Christ over again. Against this Christ alone can help. Catholics must flock to the Savior and implore his aid. Unless they do they will give their godless aggressors reason for renewed onslaughts."

"The church is above partisanship; it knows no party, identifying itself with no special form of government. Look at the great republic across the water."

"In America the Catholic church is respected; its devotees are welcome to all the rights and liberties guaranteed by the constitution. The president of the United States is a protestant, but the cardinal-archbishop of Baltimore has often told me of President Roosevelt's kindness to him. This protestant president rendered his Eminence a most honorable reception, treating him with the utmost politeness and liberality."

A steamer arriving at Victoria, B. C., from the Orient, brings news that China is collecting a war fund and otherwise preparing for hostilities with Russia.

Magazine Notes

The new publishers of Everybody's Magazine declare the holiday issue of the publication to be much the best they have yet produced. It is not the typical Christmas number made up of stilted fiction and pictures of the festival in many lands. It is just as especially lively and entertaining magazine, full of really good stories, clever pictures, and well written and timely articles. Among its contributors are the ablest writers of the day. The reading public, which has become familiar with O. Henry, Juliet Wilber Tonkin and F. Walworth, for instance, will find in the holiday issue the most successful story each has written this year.

An imaginative sketch in the December Cosmopolitan endeavors to describe some of the most important conditions in New York in the year 1909—that being the year in which New York will celebrate the three hundredth anniversary of the arrival of Hendrik Hudson. The article is by Mr. John Brisben Walker, and covers amusements, the new education, transportation, and many other subjects, which concern the prosperity, not only of New York, but of other fast growing cities. Another article which is semi-prophetic in character is "Zion, the Capital of a Jewish Nation," by Prof. Richard J. H. Gottheil.

Wayside Tales for December contains stories by Robert Barr, George Ebers, Frank H. Spearman, George Morton and other famous writers. U. S. Senator Hoar of Massachusetts has also contributed a chapter from his "Autobiography of Seventy Years." The Christmas story is "The Touchstone" by George Ebers, the famous German author of "The Egyptian Prince," "Uarda" etc. The new publishers, the Sampson-Lodge Co., Cincinnati, have made many marked improvements.

McClure's Magazine for December in harmony with the gentleness of the season, moderates a little its strenuous, battering ram tone of the last few months. It is, in fact, decidedly Christmasy, with its beautiful illustrations—many in tint—and amiable

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Just Oxygen.

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fiction; and is all aglow with the spirit of true-time. For the strenuous reader, however, there are articles by Ida M. Tarbell, Ray Stannard Baker and others.

Short Stories with real Christmas atmosphere seem almost to have died with Dickens' but in the holiday number of Lippincott's Magazine there is a pleasant rival of this cherry sort of tale in "The Reward of Virtue," by Guy Wetmore Carryl, and in "A Redwood Santa Claus," by Jerome Casefull. The first introduces a fashionable Xmas tree and ends in the triumph of true love; the second scented with the odor of the western forest.

In "Miss Fitzmanrice, Debutante," the novelette with which the December Smart Set opens, Frank Lee Benedict has given us the best product of his pen. Humorous matter of unusual attractiveness is contributed by May Isabel Fisk, Tom Masson, Charles Bat-

form into the blood that no germ could live in any membrane or tissue.

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I have never tried Liquozone, but if you will supply me a 50c. bottle free I will take it.....
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PROF. EVANS TIPPED

BUT WILL NOT HAVE ELECTION BY OLD BOARD.

It is tipped that Prof. Charles Evans, of Marion, Ky., will be the next superintendent of public schools here. The new board met last week but according to the statements of the members nothing relative to the superintendency was discussed. It is understood that Prof. Norwell will not be a candidate, as he announced this last week, and after this announcement Prof. Evans remains the only known candidate. It is understood that he will not consider the office from the old board and is the general favorite with the new board.

Miss Mabel Downs spent Sunday in Cairo visiting friends.

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Personally appeared before me this day E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of Oct., 1903, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public McCracken County.
My commission expires at the end of the next session of the senate.
Nov. 1, 1903.

THE WEATHER.

Fair and warmer tonight and Tuesday.

SCHOOL BOOK QUESTION.

Owing to the fact that no legislation has even been enacted in Kentucky tending to change the school book system, there is apparently no reason to believe that any will be attempted. In fact, it is reported that the school book trusts, for there are several of them, have looked well to their interests in the past and are now amply protected in the matter of legislation in Kentucky. An interesting chapter might be written on the part the book trusts have taken in Kentucky politics, and of the aid they have given certain Democratic officials, but what good would it do?

The main thing about the book question is that too often serious mistakes are made in attempting to cheapen school books. The teachers in the schools are, or ought to be, the best judges of such things, and they will be found almost unanimously opposed to the so-called uniformity of text books. The reason is that they know the only thing usually achieved is to cheapen the price of the books at the expense of quality. School children should have the best books and the effort should be to reduce the price of these best books instead of to simply secure a cheap article.

Last week at Madisonville Prof Livingston McCartney, superintendent of the Henderson public schools, read a paper along this line at the Second District Educational association meeting. What he said is no doubt the view of most teachers in the state, and among other things, he declared:

"The schools need the best text books at the lowest prices obtainable under open competition. This has been and is still a favorite subject with members of the state legislature.

The great danger in all school book legislation is that the quality of authorship and mechanical execution will be sacrificed for mere cheapness. This is antical to the educational interests of the children, and is false policy besides. If some of the solons who are so ready to draft bills for the fixing of prices on school books would carefully study the experience of the teachers in using the books that have been provided under such laws elsewhere, they would be brought inevitably to the conclusion that they have not the right solution of the problem. The law, instead of fixing the price should set the standard of authorship and mechanical excellence of the books to be considered, and should then keep the prices reduced by enforcing

open competition among publishers. "More state uniformity without this safeguard will be a detriment to the schools rather than a benefit to them. If the legislature enacts a law establishing uniformity of text books throughout the state and fixing a paper price within which the books must be sold, it will only operate to give the children of Kentucky inferior books. The paper price will call forth a low grade of authorship and workmanship."

"I am heartily in favor of breaking up monopoly in school books and of furnishing good books to the children at lower prices than now prevail; but this cannot be accomplished by considering price first and quality second. We must reverse the order and consider quality first and price second. With a good law enforcing open competition we can have much lower prices than we now have and still not sacrifice the educational interests of the children. This may or may not involve state uniformity.

"If state uniformity will enable us to get lower prices on books of the highest excellence than we can otherwise get, and it probably will do so, then let us have this provision in the law. But the main point to be kept in mind is that the standard of excellence, both mechanical and literary, must first be set; and that from the books which reach this standard those offered at the lowest retail prices should be chosen."

The Mayfield Messenger is trying to break up that species of fraud practiced so extensively in many country towns where itinerant swindlers themselves to pass worthless checks, beat board bills and perpetrate other tricks from selling everything from subscriptions to papers they don't represent to disposing of gold bricks. One detriment to the successful prosecution of such cases is the disposition on part of the victim in such cases to forego prosecution upon repayment of the money out of which they are swindled. As long as this is done the dead beats will continue to run at large and swindle others. Too many of them go from place to place and get money on worthless or forged checks, and perhaps once in a great while are captured, pay back the money in that one case, and get away before their other crimes can be laid at their door. Another successful method of escaping justice is by giving a bond of a hundred or two dollars and skipping. If the bond in such cases were fixed so they couldn't give it, they would get their just deserts when circuit court meets.

Mr. W. J. Bryan has been invited

to address the Berlin chamber of commerce—but the members needn't worry.

Mr. Bryan can't make a speech in German and they can't understand English.

CLOSED ON ATTACHMENT.

Saturday Deputy Sheriff George Houser went to Oaks Station and closed the general merchandise store of Green & Co. on an order from court, the result of an injunction suit brought to secure the appointment of a receiver for the firm.

The firm is composed of L. B. Green

and his stepbrother Adie Wallace Bolon and the latter filed the suit.

Judge Hushands has set Saturday the 5th as the time for hearing the case.

It is understood that the suit is the result of a falling out of the partners.

The stock is large and the store does an excellent business in that section.

SHERIFF GETS QUIETUS.

Sheriff Lee Potter this morning re-

ceived his quietus from the treasurer

of the state for all the bonds paid over

for the year of 1903. Sheriff Lee Pot-

ter has one of the biggest counties to

work and his quietus is numbered 22,

the twenty-second sent in out of a

total of 118 counties.

He performed his collecting this year with much dis-

patch and feels justly proud of his

work.

PADUCAH COMMANDRY

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.

Attention:

You will assemble at the asylum

Promptly at 11:45 a.m. Tuesday,

No. 1, in full uniform, to escort the

remains of our deceased frater, J. W.

Kelton from his home to the train

station or will be at City Hall at 12

o'clock noon. Chas Holliday, Re-

order. W. J. Hills, Commander.

Mr. Bob Vines, of Murphysboro,

Ill., was in the city yesterday.

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LOCAL LINES.

Stop tearing your
throat! One dose
of Ayer's Cherry
Pectoral.

People and
Pleasant Events.

HONOR FOR PADUCHAN.

Mr. Charles Cox, son of Mrs. W. A. Gardner, in this city, was one of the representatives of Castles Heights school of Lebanon, Tenn., in a debate with two Cumberland University pupils, in Lebanon last week and his, which was the negative side of the question "Resolved that the Colonial Policy of Our Country is Unwise," won. Mr. Cox's paper was highly complimented in the Nashville papers.

CHARITY TEA.

A charity tea is being held by the Charity Club at the residence of Mrs. John P. Campbell, 727 Broadway this afternoon and will continue until 6:30 this evening. The public is cordially invited to attend and aid a worthy cause, since the funds will be used for distribution among the poor of the city at Christmas. A charge of ten cents admission is made and tea and wafers are served.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Mr. L. E. Girardey has gone to Metropolis, Ill., on business.

Attorney Wm. Reed has returned from Mayfield today at noon.

Mrs. Bertha McElroy, of Washington, D. C., is visiting relatives in the city.

Mr. Irvin S. Cobb, of the News-Democrat, has gone to Chicago on business.

Miss Ada Wortland, of Hampton is visiting Misses Sallie Akers and Bonnie Babh.

Mr. Charles Emery returned to Hopkinsville today after a business trip to the city.

Mr. Porter Lynn, the I. C. lunch stand proprietor, has returned from Cairo where he had been on business.

Mr. Overton Brooks has returned to Chicago to resume studies in medicine after a visit to his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Brooks.

Capt. E. R. Dutt left today for Joppa. He says getting ties with the rivers at their present stage of water is something like pulling teeth.

Mrs. David Sanders has returned from Chicago where she has been ill for several months. Mrs. Sanders is much improved, her many friends will be glad to hear. She will remain here until January when she will go South with her husband, to further regain her strength.

AULD BRIG O' AYR.

MOVEMENT ON FOOT TO SECURE APPROPRIATION OF \$3,500 TO RESTORE IT.

Not Scotchmen merely, but all admirers of Burns will be sorry to learn that the Auld Brig O' Ayr, which burns immortalized in a poem is in danger of collapsing, says a London cablegram to the New York Herald. It was the spirit of the Auld Brig, which, when reviled by the spirit of the new Brig in the poem, made the remarkable prophecy:

"I'll be a Brig when yere a shapeless cairn, said the Auld Brig to the now."

The prophecy has turned out true now, twenty-five years after, and the Auld Brig is tottering on its foundations, how old it is difficult to say. Cut deep into the wall are the figures 1252. There are people who say the date is mythical, but Architect James Norris, who is an expert archaeologist and who is interesting himself in stirring up the Burgh Council to spend the \$3,500 necessary to restore the Auld Brig, believes there is nothing improbable in the date. The Ayr Connell is beset by one difficulty in the matter, and that is why should they spend \$3,500 of the public funds if they can get the money required for nothing? It seems that about a quarter of a century ago a man named Templeton left \$50,000 at interest, which at the death of his two sisters was to be devoted to rebuilding the Auld Brig. But the will was a holograph, written on a small piece of paper, and the other distant relatives took proceedings disputing the will. Now the Ayr connell will have to ascertain the legal status towards the money, but the wheels of the law revolve slowly and meanwhile the Auld Brig may fall.

BEST WAY TO HOT SPRINGS.

Inn Mountain Rondo from St. Louis or Memphis. New fast train—faster than ever; less than twelve hours from St. Louis. Leaving 8:20 p.m. daily, arrive Hot Springs 8 a. m. Effective Sunday, November 8. Connections from Memphis with this fast service. Low round trip rates year round. Free descriptive books, folders, etc. See ticket agents or address R. T. G. Matthews, T. P. A., Room 202 Equitable Bldg., Louisville, Ky.

BIRTHS.

Born to the wife of Mr. Harry Bennett, of Bridge street, a boy baby.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Buchanan of West Harrison street, a girl.

Born to the wife of Conductor Henry Harris, of Madison street last night a fine boy baby.

Mr. D. J. Higgins, of Chicago, chief car tracer for the I. C., was in the city Sunday on business.

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BUY COAL of W. A. Martin & Co.
(W. A. Martin and Pat O'Brien)
Phone 661. All kinds of Ky. coal.

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Mrs. Sarah Reeves, wife of Will Reeves, aged 36, died this morning on Goodell avenue.

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MARRIED AT METROPOLIS—Mr. A. U. Sutherland, of Golconda, and Miss Hattie Kidd, of Metropolis, were married at the bride's home in Metropolis. The couple will reside at Marion, Ill.

RILEY & COOK photos are just the thing for Xmas presents.

FIRM DISSOLVED—The firm of Wales and Vickery, sheet and metal workers at 1111 Tennessee street has been dissolved, Mr. Vickery retiring. Mr. Vickery has gone to his home in Princeton, Ky., for a visit and will return in a few weeks to enter a new line of business.

NOW is the time to make engagements for holiday pictures. Riley & Cook.

BLAZE FROM A FLUE—The fire department was called out last night at 8 o'clock to the residence of Mr. Joe Friedman on North Ninth street to extinguish a small blaze originating from a defective flue. Little damage was done and the fire was put out in a few minutes.

CALENDAR and see our beautiful Water Color Medallion photos. Riley & Cook.

ATTENDED MAYFIELD COURT—Mr. Henry Kahn returned from Mayfield at noon after attending court. He is interested in a suit brought against the firm of M. Kahn and company by Aaron Tilley for \$5,000 damages. The plaintiff claims the defendants charged him with obtaining money by false pretenses.

SEB Wonderful Rally pictures at Riley & Cook's studio. Over one thousand school children in one picture.

CLOSES HIS DAIRY—Mr. W. H. Rottgering, the well known Rowlandtown dairyman is today sending his wagons around for the last time. He will today close his dairy and hereafter devote his entire time to his farm. Mr. Rottgering owns one of the largest dairies in the country, and not being able to sell it for what he wanted, he closed.

TAKEN TO THE HOSPITAL—George Parker, who runs a shooting gallery on lower Broadway, fell down the steps a few days ago and has since grown so much worse that this afternoon he had to be taken to the city hospital.

SMOKESTACK FELL—A new smokestack being erected at the new Riggsberger's mill, fell this afternoon about 3 o'clock and striking a scaffold, slightly injured Contractor Weikel. The stack weighs 2,500 pounds and did \$800 worth of damage.

HELD AN INQUEST—The week old infant child of Maggie Hunt, colored, 1011 Clay street, died suddenly last night and Coroner Peal was today called to hold an inquest, the verdict being that the child died from natural causes.

TO BE DELIVERED THURSDAY—It is the present intention of the library trustees to turn over the public library building to the city next Thursday evening. There is to be on this occasion a public reception, and Rev. G. W. Perryman will make the presentation speech. Mayor Yeiser will at once appoint the permanent board of library trustees, who will later on select a librarian, janitor, etc.

ENJOYABLE SESSION

Teachers of the District Finish Their Work.

Miss Emma Morgan Is Elected President—Other Officials Chosen.

THE RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED

The meeting of the First District Educational association in Paducah Friday and Saturday was one of the most successful ever held, and the teachers of Paducah acquitted themselves in a most creditable manner.

Saturday afternoon the meeting adjourned after electing officers.

Miss Emma Morgan was chosen president, the first time a lady was ever elected to the position. Miss Morgan's election is an honor well deserved.

Attorney Wm. Reed has returned from Mayfield today at noon.

Mrs. Bertha McElroy, of Washington, D. C., is visiting relatives in the city.

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If the comic papers don't watch out,
some of the rural newspapers will soon
outclass them. Here is the somewhat
original way a neighboring paper the
other day wrote up a donation party:

Last night between the hours of 6
and 8, while the family were absent
the parsonage of the Christian church
was entered by persons unknown, who,
finding the place deserted, sat down
for a moment's quiet contemplation
of the blessings of the day. The exact
facts of the case will never be known
but it is supposed that one of the timid
ones, on glancing thro' the window,
spied one of those shadowy beings that
keep silent watch in "Goli's acre" up
posto, and fled precipitately, leaving
behind her a handsome, well filled
purse. Her companions, presumably
stood not upon the order of their going
but also went at once, leaving behind
them flour, sugar, broom, preserves,
syrup, vegetables, etc. One of them
in his haste, also left a giant footprint
not "on the sands of time" for this
truth, not poetry, but on the snow.
Accurate measurements of this impres-
sion were placed in the hands of a de-
tective, who, from this slender clue,
readily fixed upon Fata Parrish as the
perpetrator, who confessed and impli-
cated several others.

When the timid one was asked if
guilty she replied "guilty," good people.
To the cause question the man
with the broom, answered "more guilty
than others" and the others answered
in a chorus, "most guilty." Then
the girl lifted up his voice and said,
"Hold up your heads and receive your
sentence: Go accept the warmest
thanks of the parson and his family
for the kind token of remembrance,
and don't be long in returning upon a
like errand."

Hogs are not credited with having a
superabundance of intelligence, and
according to Master Commissioner Gip
Husbands a hog can sometimes be the
most exasperating thing imaginable.
Not long ago the master commissioner
planted forty acres of corn on his farm
near the city, and one day when it
was just beginning to do well he dis-
covered one of his best porkers in the
field. He found the hole where it got in,
and then started forth to drive it out.
He says that no man who has
never had the experience of chasing a
hog over a forty acre field trying to
persuade it to get out of the hole it
got in, can fully appreciate the task.
Up and down they ran, over furrows
and through the corn, but the thick-
headed swine serenely passed by the
hole every time, without deigning to
give it even a glance.

Mr. Husbands finally concluded that
he had reached a point when forbear-
ance was entirely out of the question,
and felt certain that the hog knew
where that hole was as well as he did.
So he took a long breath, gave his
trousers a yank, and entered on another
sprint. He caught up with the animal,
seized it by the hind legs and gave it such a whack on a stump that
it squealed a time or two and straight-
way became pork. Mr. Husbands
then took it and lugging it a few hundred
yards pushed it through the hole,
declaring in convincing tones, "Now,
blank you, I guess you'll know that
hole next time you come to it!" He
went home satisfied and gave the car-
case to one of the farm hands.

A Paris correspondent of one of the
big journals tells some of the schemes
Paris newspapers resort to to get sub-
scribers.

The Parisian paper which recently
buried a large amount of money in
the streets of this city and which I
hear has been imitated by a New York
daily, is not the first Paris paper to
advertise for readers in an original
manner. We have seen many such
papers come, only to disappear.

There was the Orogement, which
was printed on black paper and which
offered its subscribers free harial.
This mournful looking paper failed
after a life of only a few months.

We have seen the Benefactor, which
for 10 cents a month supplied its sub-
scribers with medicine and medical at-
tendance.

Then came the Naiade, which
preached cleanliness and was printed
on "insohmersible" paper and which
could be read in the bath tub or while
you were taking a dip at Trouville.

After these came the Boute, whose
subscribers were allowed to choose
their own editors: the Pour et Contre,
which had two editors of diametrical
opposite opinions, to please everybody,
and the Guillotina, printed in red ink,
which offered its readers a seat in the
front rank at public executions.

failed, and the Parisian of today, rev-
olutionary though he is in many respects,
continues to read his Matin or
Figaro.

A popular young lady tells a good
joke on herself. The other night her
sweetheart came around and asked her
to go to the show. She consented and
she left to go to the barber shop and
got shaved before time for the perfor-
mance. She decided shortly after-
wards that she didn't believe she cared
to go, and desiring to let him know
before he purchased tickets, went to the
telephone to tell him. She knew the
place he usually got his shave, but
there was no phone there. She tele-
phoned a friend in a store nearby and
told the young man she wanted to
speak to him a moment. Her friend
was busy, so he called his porter and
intrusted the mission to him. The
porter did not understand, it seems.
He came back from the barber shop in
a few moments and going to the phone
said "Hello."

"Hello" came the response.
"A y'ade lady dat wanted Mistah
B—" he inquired.
"Yes."
"Well they say he doan wuk dah,
mis."

The young lady went to the show
after all.

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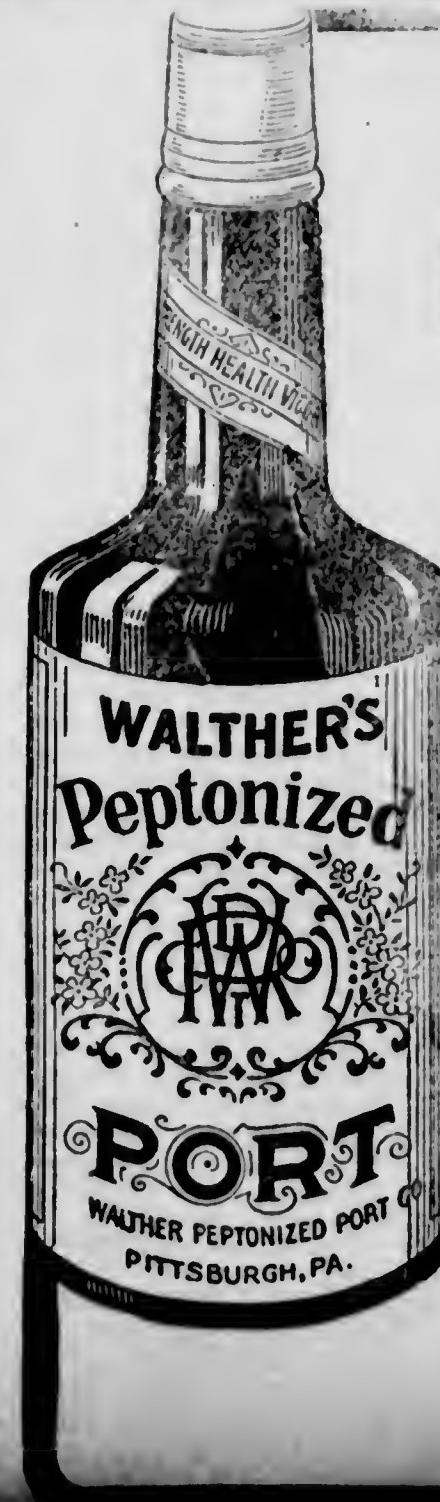
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there there has been quite an improve-
ment in Nortonville and many new
buildings have been erected.

THE FOX HUNTERS

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION WILL
HOLD FORTH IN KENTUCKY
THIS WEEK.

The National Fox Hunters Associa-
tion will hold its annual hunt in the
vicinity of New Haven, Ky., this
week, beginning today. There will
be in the party a number of hunters
from Louisville, Lexington and Versailles,
in addition to a number from the
north and east. The main events
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The SKY PILOT

By RALPH CONNOR

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"Glengarry School Days" and "Black Rock"

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But the Duke's hand fell upon his shoulder with a grip that must have got to the bone, and in a husky voice he asked:

"Will she live?"

The doctor squirmed, but could not shake off the crushing grip.

"Here, you young tiger, let go! What do you think I am made of?" he cried angrily. "I didn't suppose I was coming to a bear's den or I should have brought a gun."

It was only by the most complete apology that the Duke could mollify the old doctor sufficiently to get his opinion.

"No, she will not die. Great bit of stuff! Better she should die, perhaps! But can't say yet for two weeks. Now remember," he added sharply, looking into the Duke's woe stricken face, "her spirit must be kept up. I have lied most fully and cheerfully to them inside. You must do the same." And the doctor strode away, calling out:

"Joe! Joe! Joe! Where is he gone? Joe, I say! Extraordinary selection Providence makes at times; we could have spared that lazy half breed with pleasure! Joe! Oh, here you are! Where in thunder?" But here the doctor stopped abruptly. The agony in the dark face before him was too much even for the bluff doctor. Straight and stiff Joe stood by the horse's head till the doctor had mounted. Then with a great effort he said:

"Little miss, she go dead?"

"Dead!" called out the doctor, glancing at the open window. "Why, bless your old copper carcass, not Gwen will show you yet how to rope steer."

Joe took a step nearer, and, lowering his tone, said:

"You speak me true? Me man, me no papoose." The piercing black eyes searched the doctor's face. The doctor hesitated a moment, and then, with an air of great candor, he said cheerily:

"That's all right, Joe. Miss Gwen will cut circles round your old carcass yet. But remember," and the doctor was very impressive, "you must make her laugh every day."

Joe folded his arms across his breast and stood like a statue till the doctor rode away. Then, turning to us, he grunted out:

"Him good man, eh?"

"Good man," answered the Duke, adding, "but remember, Joe, what he told you to do—must make her laugh every day."

Poor Joe! Humor was not his forte, and his attempt in this direction in the weeks that followed would have been ludicrous were they not so pathetic. How I did my part I cannot tell. Those weeks are to me now like the memory of an ugly nightmare. The ghostly old man moving out of and into his little daughter's room in useless, dumb agony, Ponka's woe stricken Indian face, Joe's extraordinary and unusual but loyal attempts at fun making—grossly sad, and the Duke's unvarying and invincible cheerfulness—these furnish light and shade for the picture my memory brings me of Gwen in those days.

For the first two weeks she was simply heroic. She bore her pain without a groan, submitted to the imprisonment which was harder than pain, with angelic patience. Joe, the Duke and I carried out our instructions with careful exactness to the letter. She never doubted, and we never let her doubt, but that in a few weeks she would be on the pinto's back again and after the cattle. She made us pass our word for this till it seemed as if she must have read the falsehoods on our brows.

"Oh, Duke! Must I always lie here? Must I? Why must I?"

"God knows," answered the Duke bitterly, under his breath, "I don't!"

She caught at the word.

"Does he?" she cried eagerly. Then she paused suddenly, turned to me and said, "Do you remember he said some day I could not do as I liked?"

I was puzzled.

"The Pilot!" she cried impatiently. "Don't you remember? And I said I should do as I liked till I died."

I nodded my head and said, "But you know you didn't mean it."

"But I did, and I do," she cried, with passionate vehemence, "and I will do as I like! I will not be here! I will ride! I will! I will!" and she struggled up, clinched her fists and sank back faint and weak. It was not a pleasant sight, but grawsome. Her rage against that Unseen Omnipotence was so defiant and so helpless.

Those were dreadful weeks to Gwen and to all about her. The constant pain could not break her proud spirit; she shed no tears, but she fretted and chafed and grew more impishly exacting every day.

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NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

Observations taken at 7 a. m. River 6.0 on the gauge, a rise of 0.9 in the last 24 hours. Weather clear and cool. Winds north with 32 temperature. S. A. Fowler, Local Observer.

The Harley is on the way for repairs.

The Uncle Sam has gone back up the Ohio river.

The Victor went into Tennessee river Saturday.

The Wilford is due from Tennessee river tomorrow.

The Clyde is due tomorrow from Tennessee river.

The Pavonia went into Tennessee yesterday for ties.

The Lyda will go into Tennessee river today for ties.

The Memphis is due out of Tennessee river tomorrow.

The Nevius has been set off the ways into the river.

The Faouie Wallace has returned from the mines with coal.

The Bob Dudley is today's Evansville packet and arrived on time.

The Mary Golden came out of Tennessee river yesterday with a raft.

The Stacker Lee is here from Memphis to go on the ways for repairs.

The Hook came out of Tennessee river yesterday and will return tomorrow.

The Jacob Heatnerington is due from Cincinnati with a tow of empty barges.

The Butcher is due from Nashville today. She will leave on arrival for Clarksville.

The Inverness came out Saturday night and returned into Tennessee river yesterday for ties.

The Penguin is to go out tomorrow or Wednesday for ties. She has been delayed by fuel and barges.

The Savannah will leave St. Louis today en route to Tennessee river and will pass Paducah about Wednesday.

The Avon left Cincinnati Saturday and is en route down to Memphis. She will pass Paducah about Wednesday.

Captain John Hynes, formerly of the U. S. boat Lilly, is in the city. He is now in the candy business in St. Louis.

The Ten Broeck left yesterday with the Uniontown wharfboat and will return here in a few days to work in the tie trade in Tennessee river.

The Lulu Warren is still hauling corn in the Owensboro section. It is reported that there is a great deal of corn in that section to be moved, the river banks being lined with it.

Capt. Smith, of Owensboro, who bought the Thomas Parker several days ago, will arrive today to take charge of her. It was erroneously reported that the deal had fallen through. The boat will leave tomorrow in charge of Capt. Mark Cole.

AND HE GOT.

GEORGE REYNOLDS LOST NO TIME IN DISAPPEARING.

George Reynolds, one of the four white men arrested last week for shoplifting and being a general bad character, was this morning released by Judge Sanders in police court. Reynolds had been with the men, but there was nothing to connect him with the theft of the pants stolen from Aultman, for which O'Brien got three months.

Judge Sanders stated to the prisoner that he might be all right, but that like Old Dog Tray, he had been caught in mighty bad company, and that he had better lose no time in getting out of the town, because a telegram might be received in regard to him at any minute.

Reynolds said he would get out, and a kind hearted attorney informed him as he passed out that he could get a train at 9:15. It was then 9:10 and it was presumed Reynolds caught the train.

ALDERMAN STARK APPOINTED—Alderman Oscar Stark has been appointed a member of the committee to arrange for the printing of the city bonds for street improvements, a new market house and new city hospital. He takes the place of Alderman Gus Singleton, who declined to longer serve after the board refused to honour in the action of the committee in employing an outside lawyer to bring the ex parte petition.

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